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CDC Refuses to Release Updated Information on Post-COVID Vaccination Heart Inflammation - More

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By The Defender Staff

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CDC Refuses to Release Updated Information on Post-COVID Vaccination Heart Inflammation

ZeroHedge reported:

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) is refusing to release updated information on reported cases of myocarditis and pericarditis following COVID-19 vaccination.

COVID-19 vaccines can cause the inflammatory conditions, the CDC has confirmed previously.

The agency has regularly conveyed the number of post-vaccination myocarditis and pericarditis cases to the Vaccine Adverse Event Reporting System (VAERS), which it helps manage, as it has consulted with its advisers on updates to the vaccines.

But during a meeting on Sept. 12, the CDC did not mention VAERS data. Asked for the information, a CDC spokesman pointed to a CDC study that covers data only through Oct. 23, 2022.

That study identified nine reports of myocarditis or pericarditis following vaccination with one of the bivalent COVID-19 vaccines, which were introduced in September 2022. Seven of the reports were verified by medical records.

Asked for more current data, the spokesman acknowledged the agency has it but is not making it public.

"When appropriate, the updated safety data will be published," the spokesman told The Epoch Times in an email.

He did not answer when asked why the meeting was not an appropriate time.

"The CDC has acknowledged that heart inflammation is a complication of mRNA COVID-19 shots and, yet, the only published data released by CDC officials about that complication is a seven-week study that ended on Oct. 23, 2022. Where is more specific myocarditis/pericarditis data related to bivalent COVID shots for the past 10 months?" Barbara Loe Fisher, co-founder and president of the National Vaccine Information Center, told The Epoch Times via email.

President Biden Gets COVID, Flu Shots

U.S. News reported:

President Joe Biden has been freshly vaccinated for three major respiratory viruses that could spread widely this fall and winter.

Biden got both the updated COVID-19 booster and his annual flu shot on Friday, White House physician Kevin O'Connor wrote in a White House memo. The president received the new vaccine for respiratory syncytial virus several weeks ago.

"As we enter the cold and flu season, the President encourages all Americans to follow his example and to check with their healthcare provider or pharmacist to ensure that they are fully vaccinated," O'Connor added.

Biden, 80, had COVID-19 in July 2022, which also included a rebound infection after taking the antiviral medication Paxlovid.

Cancers Appearing in Ways Never Before Seen After COVID Vaccinations: Dr. Harvey Risch

ZeroHedge reported:

There is evidence that cancers are occurring in excess after people receive COVID-19 vaccinations, according to Dr. Harvey Risch.

Dr. Risch is professor emeritus of epidemiology in the Department of Epidemiology and Public Health at the Yale School of Public Health and Yale School of Medicine. His research has focused extensively on the causes of cancer as well as prevention and early diagnosis.

In an interview for EpochTV's "American Thought Leaders," Dr. Risch said patients must now wait months, not weeks, to get an appointment at an oncology clinic in New York.

There is difficulty in observing whether a vaccine can cause cancer, because cancer usually takes time to develop, Dr. Risch said. It can take anywhere from two years to 30 years, depending on the different types of cancer, from leukemia to colon cancer.

"What clinicians have been seeing," said Dr. Risch, "is very strange things: For example, 25-year-olds with colon cancer, who don't have family histories of the disease — that's basically impossible along the known paradigm for how colon cancer works — and other long-latency cancers that they're seeing in very young people."

He said this is not how cancer normally develops.

"There has to be some initiating stimulus to why this happens," he said.

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Use of Antiviral May Be Fueling Evolution of COVID, Scientists Say

The Guardian reported:

An antiviral drug used to treat patients with COVID-19 may be causing mutations in the virus and fuelling the evolution of new variants, scientists have said.

Molnupiravir, which is also sold under the brand name Lagevrio, is designed to mutate coronaviruses to destruction, but researchers found evidence that the virus can sometimes survive the treatment, leading to mutated versions that occasionally spread to other people.

There is no evidence molnupiravir has produced more dangerous variants of COVID-19, but scientists said the mutations increased the genetic diversity of the virus in the wild and provided more options for future evolution.

"People have some concerns about molnupiravir and to some sense this makes those more concrete," said Dr. Theo Sanderson, the lead author on the study and a postdoctoral researcher at the Francis Crick Institute in London.

"We know these viruses can still be alive following a significant number of mutations and they can still be transmissible in some cases."

Pfizer RSV Vaccine Wins CDC Recommendation for Seasonal Use Only

STAT News reported:

Pfizer's new shot to protect infants against respiratory syncytial virus (RSV) by vaccinating their mothers late in pregnancy won a limited recommendation Friday from an expert panel that advises the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), clearing the way for a second product to protect babies against RSV to soon hit the market.

The recommendation was accepted by CDC Director Dr. Mandy Cohen shortly after the conclusion of the panel's meeting.

The vote, which passed the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices by an 11-to-1 margin, was an attempt to make the choice of preventive measures less complicated for parents-to-be and the obstetricians and pediatricians who will care for each mother-baby pair. The goal is to ensure babies are protected with one or the other anti-RSV product, but ideally not both together.

Using both in a mother-baby pair would offer little or no added benefit for most babies, and would come at a high cost, with Pfizer set to charge $295 for its vaccine and the other product, Sanofi's monoclonal antibody, priced at $495. Insurance companies are unlikely to pay for both, unless there is a medical reason for giving a child born to a vaccinated mother the monoclonal antibody.

FDA Urges Infant Formula Industry to Improve Safety of Manufacturing Processes After Similac Recall

AboutLawsuits.com reported:

Federal regulators are calling for infant formula manufacturers to improve safety practices at their manufacturing facilities in the wake of last year's massive Similac recall, which was linked to outbreaks of cronobacter and salmonella food poisoning, which sickened babies nationwide.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA) says it is taking significant actions to shore up the safety of powdered infant formula manufacturing in an update issued on Sept. 20, indicating that it is collaborating with industry, as well as academics and consumer groups to explore ways to make the process more secure.

The FDA is particularly focused on Cronobacter sakazakii illnesses, which were at the heart of the Similac recall issued in February 2022, following illnesses linked to powdered infant formula manufactured at a Michigan facility.

The bacteria may cause serious life-threatening infections or meningitis (an inflammation of the membranes that protect the brain and spine).

Following the Similac formula recall, subsequent investigations have revealed that Abbott ignored industry safety standards and best practices at its facility for years, endangering children for the sake of profits, leading to individual and class action lawsuits filed throughout the federal court system.

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Brian13
3 days ago
Why would the CDC want to release the truth about the harm that the injections have caused if they did that would be the end of the big Pharma push for RNA injections for treating ill health? They claim that about 1.3 million people in the US died from Covid but those numbers are suspect since there was a financial incentive to label all deaths as Covid related! Hmm, I believe the number of people that died from the real treatment, and directly from the injections, exceeded those that died with the from Covid, but they don't want you to know that, or allow us to learn the numbers to prove it!
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Ronald Martens Brian13
3 days ago
The number that 'actually did die from Covid' = ZERO.
Covid-19 is a virus that causes a mild to moderate common symptoms to an illegal war disease, some old game going on and on since decades. Despite over 250 FDA requests to governments on state or national level globally none of these goons could produce a scientific proof of a pathogenic virus.
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Rob OF
3 days ago
"Asked for more current data, the spokesman acknowledged the agency has it but is not making it public." Can someone explain to me how a publicly funded agency can decide to not make it's data public? It's an IF I buy a car, pay for it and then when it arrives the dealer says I'm not going it to you because I just don't want to...
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trotogan Rob OF
3 days ago
Actually, the CDC receives the majority of its funding from Big Pharma or foundations like Gates, which is why there's such a conflict of interest which has compromised the agency for YEARS!
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Wendy
3 days ago
As I have repeatedly said, cold and flu is NOT A SEASON! More accurately, the autumn is a Vitamin D deficiency season, if you can call it that. Most Americans are deficient in Vitamin D, so it is no wonder that people get colds and flu when there is less sunshine. Duh.
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Most Americans are deficient in just about anything healthy..
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